

PATENT TS8585 (US) Serial No. 10/774,741

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to:

Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents,
P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
on or before the date shown below.

Reece A. Scott

Date: October 18, 2005

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of)
BRAS, EDUARD C. et al.)
Serial No. 10/774,741) Group Art Unit: 1724
Filed: February 9, 2004) Examiner: Frank M. Lawrence
REMOVING NATURAL GAS LIQUIDS FROM A GASEOUS NATURAL GAS STREAM))) _)

Mail Stop Amendment COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FOR RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Applicants petition for a one-month extension of time in accordance with 37 CFR 1.136(a) to respond to the Office Action mailed June 27, 2005 for the above-referenced application.

10/20/2005 HVUONG1 00000021 191800 10774741 01 FC:1251 120.00 DA

PATENT TS8585 (US) Serial No. 10/774,741

Please charge the \$120.00 fee and any additional fees, or credit any overpayment, to Shell Oil Company, Deposit Account No. 19-1800. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

BRAS, EDUARD C. et al.

P.O. Box 2463

Houston, Texas 77252-2463

Attorney, Reece A. Scott Registration No. 41,297

(713) 241-7256